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in length, a combined length of less

than ten inches, a little longer and a

fashioned wool darning needle. Al-

though these snakes were so small they

seen in bottles, but genuine snakes.

Among those who saw them was a

The Pirates.

hero of this story, but has it that the

visitor to the home of a well known

Hoosier State author found his three

"What are you playing, boys?" he

"We are playing pirates," elucidated

"Pirates? Why, how can you play

pirates in Indiana? There are no seas

And five minutes later a chorus of

Outside of His Practice.

"All that is the matter with you, sir,"

said the eminent physician after a

thorough examination, "is lack of nu-

"I eat all I can hold, doctor," said

"Then you need to have your capac-

ty enlarged, and that's a case for a

Overstudy.

pieces we have, let us give it over. I,

recompense so great a loss .- Montaigne.

She Was Safe.

"Oh, no, I won't," replied Mabel,

"cause I'm holding tight to myself."

Not What He Meant.

Forbearance.

to go on the stage? Egbert-Oh, yes;

only last week I did. Oh, the actor

was vile! But I contented myself with

shying an egg at him.-Yonkers States-

If they are untrue I run the risk of

Riches.

can do without, that makes us rich.

The Maroon Monster.

A Change.

Mrs. Larkin-I want a little money

Friend-I suppose you run down a

It is not what we have, but what we

Bacon-Did you ever have any desire

that!

-Montesquieu.

trition. You don't eat enough."

morning."-Chicago Tribune.

the attenuated caller.

youngsters romping in the hallway.

inquired.

the smallest.

bordering on this state."

wield the shingle.

are literary pirates, like pa."

snakes either."-Emporia Gazette.

"I see by your paper," says a corre-

KEPT WOMAN A PRISONER FOR THREE MONTHS IN HOUSE

(Special from United Press.) Philadelphia, Feb. 26.—Confined in a house for three months, the prisoner of a negro, and forced to submit to shocking indecencies and beaten when she protested, Lillie Washburn, 24 years old, was to-day rescued from slavery by the authorities. Her abductor, Alfred Brown, was sentenced to a year the local authorities.

hunting for work in Trenton she was drugged and when she recovered consciousness she was in a negro resort on Spring street, this city. Several times she tried to escape but her clothing had been taken from her and each time she was caught before she could reach the street and terribly beaten. Yesterday she managed to throw a note from a window and it was picked up by Charles Bowman who turned it over to the police. They raided the house taking the woman and Brown to the station house.

To-day on her evidence he was convicted of abduction and sent to a House of Correction for a year. THE STATE TAX.

Treasurer Patten Speaks on the Subject to Farmers' Association.

Hartford, Feb. 26.-State Treasurer Patten spoke before the Farmers' Association yesterday on the matter of a state tax saying that in 1859 the state tax was 1 1-2 mills and rose to 4 mills in 1865-6, the last state tax being 1 mill in 1890. There are now two bills before the Legislature, one for a tax of 1-2 mill and the other for 1 mill. The state, he thought, was justified in asking the towns to pay the tax. Twenty-seven towns would pay 75 per cent. of the tax. He urged the members of the General Assembly to exercise economy and said that while the credit of the state is good it is possible

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FILIBUSTER IN THE HOUSE

Session Was Prolonged Till Three This Morning - Sundry Civil Bill Under

Washington, Feb. 26.-A fillibuster by the Democrats kept the House of Representatives in continuous session for 17 hours yesterday and this morning. Recess was finally taken at 3:30 A. M., until 110'clock. Yesterday the House met at 10 o'clock. The Sundry Civil Appropriation bill was under consideration and after midnight the Democrats began to offer all sorts of amendments. These brought out a lecture from Chairman Tawney

\$3.00 Trimmed Dress Hats, ... \$3.50 Trimmed Dress Hats, ... for their "levity." One was for an appropriation to "whitewash" the White House. In offering it Representative Williams of Mississippi said:

"When we are modeling to the series of the After a speech by Gaines, (Tennes-

OLD SONGS AND

consideration to-day.

Chapel Last Evening Pleases Large Attendance.

ing of patriotic songs at the North Chapel last night. Mrs. William Nothnagle arranged the program for the evening. Mrs. S. M. Garlick is the little larger in the middle than an old chairman of committee on entertain-Many of the ladies were arments. rayed in Colonial costumes,

Mrs. Garlick introduced the singers would crawl around with their heads and gave a brief explanatory descripin the penitentiary and she has been up and dart out their tongues like tion of the author and the circumstansent back to her home in Reading by larger snakes, I put these reptiles in ces under which the songs were writan eight ounce bottle, and they had ten. The program opened with a plano duet by Misses Coggswell and Durand. At the trial in court to-day the plenty of room to crawl around on the Miss Nanchen Adams sang "The Old bottom of it without crowding. These Folks at Home," written by Stephen were not the kind of snakes generally Collins Foster and sung by E. P Christy the famous minstrel. Miss Adams sang as an encore "Comin' thro' the rye." Mr. Wallace of the church choir minister of the gospel, and he had not sang "Tenting on the Old Camp been taking anything to make him see Ground," by Walter Kittredge of Merrimack, N. H. The song was written in a few minutes after the author had been drafted and was waiting to go to the front. The song has retained its The Chicago News fails to name the popularity for 47 years. "My Old Kentucky Home," was rendered by Miss Esther Berg. Miss Carrie Seeleye read "Captain Ben's Choice." Gray Bridgeport patrons next week in the Quaintance sang "The Battle Hymn of the Republic" by Julia Ward Howe.

> Misses Esther Davis and Hulda Chapman sang and Bruce Simonds was heard at the piano. The program ended with a chorus, "Yankee Doodle' the origin of the air of which is lost in the dim and distant past. It was sung in France, Holland and in Eng-"Oh, we don't need any seas. We land long before the colonies were established and was grafted on the American people in the French and Indian war when Dr. Richard Shuckburg as a yells from behind the barn told that practical joke, applied its words to the the hand that wields the pen can also continentals whose plain and uncouth appearance contrasted with the brilliant uniforms of the British. The air immediately became popular and led the Americans to victory over the very forces who had applied it to them

> > The ladies who assisted at the tables were: Miss Nothnagle, Miss Adams, Miss Glenna Potter, Miss May Beach, Mrs. Quaintance and Mrs. F. H. Riley. A trio of stringed instruments was heard, consisting of Louis Sammis, viola; Herbert Bottomley, violin; Clarence Anderson, cello,

surgeon. Five dollars, please. Good are quickly cured by Foley's Honey and Tar, and it soothes inflamed mem-Books are pleasant, but if by being branes, heals the lungs, and expels the Maine. Mr. Knight who is familiarly overstudious we impair our health and | cold from the system. F .B. Brill, local | known in vaudeville as the "Original spoil our good humor, two of the best

ROBERT M. BRUCE. for my part, am one of those who think Robert M. Bruce of Greenwich. that no fruit derived from them can ton business under the name of Bruce & Co., died yesterday. Mr. Bruce was 86 years old on July 4 last and was Little four-year-old Mabel was runtaken ill on his birthday. He had ning downhill, holding her dress tight-\$250,000 to public institutions, building "Be careful," called her mother, "or the town hall at a cost of \$150,000 and cluding "Goo Goo" and "Laura" the

Physician—Have you any aches or orator, who delivers his popular lecture entitled, "The Searchlight of the Twenpains this morning? Patient - Yes, entitled, The Searchight of the Little Little Century in the First M. E. doctor; it hurts me to breathe-in fact, church next Tuesday evening. March the only trouble now seems to be with 2nd, will be entertained by Mrs. Dr. my breath. Physician-All right. I'll Sanford of Vine street, during his stay give you something that will soon stop in the city.

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THE THEATRES

POLI'S

ing down to its final performance. Don't miss The Hawaiian Trio with as regards costuming, scenery, electheir enchanting native music and the trical effects and the company is iden-Hula Hula dance: Ruth Allen and tical with that which have supported Her London Johnnies, Lasky's newest Geo. M. Cohan. musical novelty: Mathews & Ashley the premier fun-artists; and a host of other attractive items.

You might see every vaudeville bill in the country and you would be unable to select a better musical headliner than Manager Poli offers his Six Musical Cuttys, a family of brothers and sisters who have won a reputation in vaudeville envied on both sides of the water. The Cuttys will offer to Bridgeport vaudeville lovers next week their latest repertoire of the classics and the popular music given stringed and brass instruments, and including magnificent vocal features. The Cuttys have well-earned their reputatation of "Roremost Musical Family in America." Neither has Europe anything to excell them. The Cuttys recently returned from a most successful tour of the continent during which they added to their laurels as premier musiciens. Among the instruments on which this remarkable family is proficient are the violin, cello, brass instruments, piano, xylophone and others. Lovers of music will find in the Cuttys next week at Poli's one of the rarest of musical treats.

A special added attraction for next week will be Harlan, Knight & Co. presenting Una Clayton's masterpiece. one act comedy-drama. "The Chalk some rural comedy of the kind that excites the risibilities to the highest pitch and also some heart-interest pathos. The story deals with Web Sanderson may develop into pneumonia over night village store keeper and Eph. Allen village postmaster in the little hamlet of Limerick in the backwoods of Rube from Maine" and George Neville another clever rural impersonator are the hits of the piece. They are assisted by Miss Lillian Volkman and Lincoln Morse. "The Chalk Line" is taken from real life, the two principal characters still living in Limerick, Mr. Knight's old home.

Victor Niblo the most remarkable given to nearly every hospital in New trainer of birds in the world to-day York. In Greenwich he had given will be the added feature with his famous troupe of feathered artists intalking birds who have won for their master international fame. Eighteen years of patient and persevering work has given to Prof. Niblo one of the greatest wonders of the century, namely birds that can talk and answer questions intelligently. Moreover Nibo's birds converse in three different languages. Niblo offers \$1,000 to any person who can show that he makes use of any deception what ever in his

Kelley & Barrett the dean laughmakers of vaudeville will present their hilarious military travesty "The Battle of Too Soon" next week. This act alone is worth the price of admission. Willie Weston, the popular singing comedian and monologist will be here too. A pleasing feature will be Leeds & LeMar, the "Australian Bright Lights" in clever patter and song hits, and an uproarious burlesque boxing bout at the finish. A novel comedy ache, nausea, heartburn, sour stomach, acrobatic act will be given by Veronica & Hurl-Falls, incorporating a sensational sixty-foot drop to the stage. being deceived and if they are true of will relieve almost instantly. All sational sixty-foot drop to the stage.

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and fair-to-look-upon ladies of the chorus. There will also be a very large assisting company of principals, chief among whom will be Tom Lewis. Everybody remembers Mr. Lewis for his extremely funny and laughable portrayal of the role of the Unknown in "Little Johnny Jones." "The Yankee Prince" has, up to the present time, only been presented in most of the larger cities, including Philadelphia, New York and Chicago, and every-This week's bill at Poli's is narrow- where has been received with unqualified approval. Its production here will be exactly the same in every detail

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Next Wednesday evening, Antonio Majori, the well known and popular Italian actor, will with his own company present Shakespeare's greatest tragedy, "Othello." There will no doubt be many English speaking people in the theatre Wednesday evening to see "Othello" played in the Ital-

WILLIAM FORESTELLE TO RECEIVE WARM **GREETING TONIGHT**

The cast of "The Mummy and the Humming Bird," which will be seen at Smith's theatre to-night and twice If he snuffles, you snuffle-mimicry. to-morrow includes a Bridgeport boy, Line." This production incorporates William Forestelle, who plays the "heavy" role. He has many friends, who are planning to give him a royal reception. Already a big theatre party of over 100 members has been formed for this evening.

Mr. Forestelle is a graduate of the Holy Cross College, at Worcester, Mass., and when he joined the "Mummy and the Humming Bird" company last August, it was to play the comedy role. But he showed such adaptation that he was soon changed to play the more strenuous part of the villian, and in this he has succeeded beyond his anticipations. He fairly divides the honors at every performance with the stars, Mr. Pemberton and Miss French, and succeeds so well that his performance is sure to give great pleasure to his friends, who will watch his future career with much interest.

SUICIDE IN BRONX PARK. (Special from United Press.)

New York, Feb. 26.-Relatives with whom he had been living in this city to-day received a special delivery letter from David Rifeus saving that his body would be found in Bronx Park. had been flogged by the redoubtable While the massage was en route the dominie and the lad's father came to young man entered the Bronx Terminal of the elevated line and drove a bullet into his head. The suicide was the son of R. Rifeus, a chemist of Odorfort, Nasice, Austria, said to be one of the wealthiest men in that city and had been sent to this country to make his home with relatives. He was working here as a drug clerk and received besides his wages, a monthly allow-ance of \$5, from his father.

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"What I mean," he continued, "Is that the cause of coughing is the cause of our survival. That cause is mimicry. Mimicry is a better life preserver than fleetness or strength. For by mimicry we manage not to attract attention, and in prehistoric times they who attracted attention were hunted down by the tribe and roasted for dinner or hunted down by the saber tooth tiger and taken raw.

"Since those dark days mimicry has been instinctive with us. Mimicry is what causes us to follow the fashions. It causes us, when in England, to say 'cawn't' and 'lawf.' If your friend yawns, you yawn-that's mimicry. If he laughs, you laugh-mimicry again. And if he coughs in church, straightway you and all the rest of the congregation cough, the reason being the same one which saved our forefathers from extermination."-New York Press

Famous Floggers.

Among English schoolmasters whose names have come down to posterity with the dublous reputation of great floggers Dr. Busby of Westminster school is the generally acknowledged chief.

Of him it is recorded that, one of his

head boys having insulted a young

French viscount who came to the school to demand satisfaction, he flogged the viscount first for the bloodthirsty intentions and next his friend who was the bearer of his challenge. Dr. Valpy, too, who edited an edition of the classics, was a potent wielder of the rod. Archdeacon Groom, who was a pupil of his, tells a story in illustration of his prowess. One of the boys dominie, and the lad's father came to

"Sir," said Valpy to him, "I flogged your son because he richly deserved it. If he again deserves it, I shall flog him again, and," rising, "if you come here, sir, interfering with my duty I shall flog you."

The parent fled.

A Famous Architect's Trick. When Sir Christopher Wren was building the town hall of Windsor, a fidgety member of the corporation, so can-to-morrow is your last chance. A the story goes, insisted that the roof \$15 suit for \$10. John F. Keane & Co., required further support and desired the architect to add more pillars. In vain did Sir Christopher assure him that the danger was imaginary. He knew better. The alarm spread, and the great architect was worried into adding the desired columns.

Years passed, and in later times, when architect and patrons were dead, cleaning operations in the roof revealed the fact that the supposed additional supports did not touch the roof by two inches, though this was not perceptible to the gazers below.

By this ingenious expedient did Wren pacify his critics, while vindicating his own architectural skill to future gener-

I'm Telling You.

and when Pat came home she said: "Pat, I'm taking a little of your butter, but I'm not like other landladies-I'm telling you."

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like other landladies-I'm telling you." Of course there was never any duction in Pat's bill. One Saturday his bill came to a larger amount than "Landlady, I'm sloping. I'm not like

other lodgers-I'm telling you."- London Answers.

Beautifully Arranged. Brown-Well, you've got the quan "I've arranged it beautifully, old chap. I told her it was you first and she said to tell you she was out and then I said I was fooling and that it was Charley Jones, and you ought to have seen her hustle to get into a clean shirt waist! She'll be right

Not Surprised. Skipper-I am incedinately sensitive to uncongenial surroundings, so much so that the very sight of some people will give me a nervous shudder. Chipper-Oh, well, there are very few of us

No Hitch. "How did the wedding come off to day?"

"Without a hitch." "Glad to hear it." "I said without a hitch. The bride backed out at the last minute."

Not Written. "How do you write 'horn?" the teacher of a small boy at the blackboard.

"A horn isn't written at all," answered the little fellow. "It's blowed."

-Exchange.

Like a Bicycle. "What does the doctor say is the

"He says she has pneumatic tenden-

cies and that she is threatened with spiral trouble."-Baitimore American

dicious.-Chicago Record-Herald Pat Murphy, who was in lodgings, THE PURE FOOD AND DRUG LAW was greatly annoyed by the landlady has not only brought the foods and helping herself to his provisions. She drugs of this country up to a higher

began by taking a piece of his butter, standard of purity, but it has eliminated the harmful medicines with which this country was flooded. Such medicines, however, as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. purely a roots and herbs product, will continue its beneficial work among

night I ran two men up a tree.-Chi-We allow car fare to Bridgeport cago News. today, Fred. Mr. L .- I'm very glad of

that. Mrs. L. (surprised)—Why are you glad? Mr. L.—Because generally you want a good deal. 102 Orange St., New Haven, Conn.

Consideration. (Special from United Press.)

favor of this administration cleaning up, I am not in favor of parsimony." see), on Andrew Jackson, Representa- \$3.00 Black and Brown Coney tive Byrd, (Mississippi), denounced the attitude of the American government \$3.00 Black and Brown Coney on the Japanese question as the "most humiliating exhibition of obsequious senility of any party ever in power." shortly after one o'clock but Chair- \$11.00 Grey Squirrel Shawl man Tawney announced as a punishure he made it 3:30.

Interesting Program at North Church

A large attendance enjoyed an even

For an encore he sang "Dream of the

in derision.

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Saturday, Feb. 27, 1908. Legs of mutthroughout, and everyone enjoys its ton 12c per Ib., forequarters of mutton presentation, especially when it is in | 8c per lb., legs of genuine lamb 14c per the hands of a capable company. The b., roast pork 12c per b., fresh shouldtheatre these two days should be filled ers 9c per lb., rib roasts beef 10c per at each and every performance, and Ib., pot roasts of beef 8c and 10c per Ib., those who attend may be assured of yeal roasts 8c, 10c and 12c per lb. Special low prices on all cuts of fresh beef. A lot of prime roasting chickens. The reunited Cohan family are sure fowls, ducks and broilers. Fresh hams, to have a big reception Monday even-ing, when "The Yankee Prince" will ribs, leaf lard, etc. Everything in hothave its first presentation at this play- house and staple vegetables. A full house. There will be George M. Co-line of sea food. A choice display of 4-Foot Step Ladders, 48c. Value 65c.

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usual. Pat looked at it, bundled up a few things in his handkerchief, walked to the door and said:

ter. Is your sister coming down?

that do not shrink from meeting our creditors.

matter with Mirandy?"

The man who saves when he has little is called stingy. He that saves when he has much is said to be ju-

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han, his father, mother and sister, and bakery goods. Bridgeport Public Mar-a stage full of handsomely gowned ket Branch. East Main street. and put off with the remark, "I'm not